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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

SUBJECT

: National Civil Service League Career Service Award - Mr. Lawrence R. Houston

- 1. I want to request your assistance in publicising and encouraging attendance at the dinner honoring Lawrence R. Houston on 8 May 1976.
- 2. While the National Civil Service League (NCSL) has not established quetas for the respective agencies, it has urged that a real effort be made to insure a meaningful turn-out. In similarly honoring Colonel White last year 136 individuals attended the awards banquet. I hope we can do as well this year and suggest you take it up at a staff meeting.

## 3. The basic facts are:

- a. A dinner honoring the winners of the NCSL Career Service Award will take place at 7:30 p. m. Friday, 8 May 1970, at the Washington Hilton Hotel.
- b. The dinner will be preceded by a reception and cash bar at 6:30 p.m.
- c. The cost for government employees and their family members is \$15 per ticket. Non-government persons will be charged \$25 per ticket.
- d. Reservations may be made for individual seating as well as tables for ten. Internal deadline for reservations is 23 April 1970.
- e. Dress for the occasion is semi-formal -- business suits for the man, cocktail dresses for the women.
- 4. It is further requested that you select an individual who will be responsible for coordinating ticket reservations and payments for the Directorate of Intelligence with the Common Control of Personnel. We will need your representative's name by 13 April 1970 at which time will discuss with him the various procedures to be followed.

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